

Docket No.: 60188-520

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Satoshi KONDO

Application No.: 09/830,920

Filed: May 03, 2001

Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 5216

Group Art Unit: 2616

Examiner: James A. Fletcher

For: STREAM CONVERTING METHOD AND APPARATUS THEREOF, AND STREAM RECORDING METHOD AND APPARATUS THEREOF

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.



No additional fee is required.



Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27



Also attached: Information Disclosure Statement and 1449 Form

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	12	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	6	6	0	\$88.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
Information Disclosure Statement					\$180.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$180.00



Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$180.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.



The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 11, 2004, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 11, 2004, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following comments and remarks.